

## Howard County Pilot Composting Facility

### Public Tours

Alpha Ridge Landfill

2350 Marriottsville Rd

Marriottsville, MD 21104

The Bureau of Environmental Services has constructed a pilot project to produce quality compost. This state of the art pilot project is located on a ¾ acre site at the Alpha Ridge Landfill and is designed to compost yard trim and food scraps in aerated, covered piles. The compostable material is from residents that are participating in a food scrap collection pilot program. This is supplemented by material directly hauled by residents and contractors to Alpha Ridge. The facility started accepting material from the pilot curbside program in March 2013.

#### Tour Dates:

- Thursday July 31, 2014 at 4:00 pm
- Saturday August 16, 2014 at 9:00 am

Tours meet at the compost facility.

RSVP are encouraged.